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Soft and Hard Errors

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated December 28, 2005, enclosed please find marked up copy of the original specification on which the substitute specification is based.

As indicated in the amendment dated December 15, 2005, blank page 11 referenced by the examiner does not appear in applicants' copy of the specification, apparently because of the PTO's electronic document processing software. Other than pagination, no changes were made in the pages submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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